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I am circulating the attached letter for concurrence. The letter is in response to the Shoshone-Bannock's October 14<sup>th</sup> letter to us requesting to participate in the negotiations. We had originally decided to delay responding to the letter because the Nez Perce Tribe has objected to the participation of the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes in the Stibnite Mine negotiations. But, we have now decided to go ahead and respond with an acceptance of their participation and then deal with the Nez Perce's objection when the official letter arrives from the Nez Perce. Will be bringing the package to Dean for his concurrence this morning.

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